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FM AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4737

INFO AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI

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AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY MANAMA

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AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, MASS, KU

SUBJ: NO PROGRESS IN RESOLVING AMIRI SPEECH ISSUE - KUWAIT

REF: KUWAIT 0744

1. KUWAITI NATIONAL ASSEMBLY MET FEBRUARY 17 -- AFTER PREVIOUS THREE CONSECUTIVE SESSIONS CANCELLED FOR LACK OF QUORUM -- BUT NO DISCUSSION HELD ON ISSUE OF HOW ASSEMBLY WOULD DEAL WITH AMIR'S REFUSAL ACCEPT ASSEMBLY REPLY TO AMIRI SPEECH (REFTEL).

2. COMMENT: ISSUE WILL NOW BE CARRIED OVER TO NEXT SCHEDULED SESSION OF ASSEMBLY ON FEBRUARY 24. IF ASSEMBLY MANAGES TO RAISE QUORUM, PROBLEM MIGHT WELL BE RESOLVED BY MODIFICATION OF LANGUAGE OFFENSIVE TO AMIR. GALA CELEBRATIONS ARE PLANNED FOR NATIONAL DAY HOLIDAY FEBRUARY 25, AND GOK WILL WANT TO

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MAKE IT A DAY WHEN ALL IN COUNTRY APPEAR UNIFIED. CELEBRATIONS

AND SPEECHMAKING ALSO WILL AFFORD CONVENIENT OPPORTUNITY FOR  
GOVERNMENT TO ANNOUNCE ANY MINISTERIAL CHANGES FAMILY MAY  
HAVE AGREED ON.  
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